

## Message Text

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FM AMCONSUL IZMIR  
TO AMEMBASSY ANKARA  
INFO AMCONSUL ADANA  
AMCONSUL FRANKFURT  
AMCONSUL ISTANBUL  
SECSTATE WASHDC 1755

S E C R E T IZMIR 0012

DEPT FOR A/SY/FO

FRANKFURT FOR RSS

E.O. 11652: XGDS-2

TAGS: ASEC

SUBJ: THREAT OF PLO OPERATION AGAINST TURKEY

REF: ANKARA 0081

1. SENIOR OFFICER IN POLITICAL SECTION IZMIR POLICE HAS  
CONFIRMED TO PSO THEIR RECEIPT "FROM VERY RELIABLE SOURCE"  
OF INFORMATION ON PLANNED PLO TERRORIST ACTIVITY AS REPORTED  
PARA ONE REFTEL. POLICE STRONGLY BELIEVE THAT IF SUCH AN  
OPERATION IS MOUNTED ITS TARGET WILL BE ONLY TURKISH

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OFFICIAL(S), NEVERTHELESS, EXTRA PRECAUTIONS TO PROTECT  
CONSULAR CORPS HERE WILL BE QUIETLY TAKEN WHILE TRYING TO AVOID  
PUBLICITY.

2. POLICE OFFICIAL COMMENTED IN PASSING THAT POLICE HAD CON-  
SIDERED POSSIBILITY OF SOME CONNECTION BETWEEN PLANNERS OF  
REPORTED ATTACKS ON TURKISH OFFICIAL AND RADICAL LEFTISTS

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GROUP WHICH HAVE BEEN GIVEN PERMISSION TO STAGE A DEMON-  
STRATION IN IZMIR ON JANUARY 15.

3. THE OFFICER ALSO MENTIONED A REPORT FROM AN UNIDENTIFIED  
SOURCE TO THE EFFECT THAT AN OPERATION MIGHT BE MOUNTED  
AGAINST AN IMPORTANT REPRESENTATIVE OF ONE OF THE EUROPEAN  
COMMON MARKET COUNTRIES WHICH COULD TAKE PLACE ANYWHERE IN  
THE WORLD, WITH NO TIME FRAME SET. IT WAS EMPHASIZED THAT

SOURCE WAS UNIDENTIFIED AND INFORMATION SHOULD BE EVALUATED  
ACCORDINGLY.

4. POST HAS TAKEN CAREFUL NOTE OF ADMONITIONS PARA 4 REFTTEL,  
AND HAS REVIEWED CONTROLS AND PLANS WITH ALL HANDS.

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